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In re Application of: Group Art Unit: 2838 Richard W. CARTER, et al. Examiner: R.B. PATEL Serial Number: 09/683,437 Filed: December 28, 2001 METHOD FOR DETECTING For: AND IDENTIFYING SHORTED THYRISTORS

## PETITION FOR TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Under Secretary of Commerce for Intellectual Property and Director of the United States Patent and Trademark Office Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Response in the above-identified application. The shortened statutory period having expired May 12, 2003, it is hereby requested that the period for response be extended for two months. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge \$410.00 in payment for extension fee for response within second month pursuant to §1.136(a) to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fee (or credit any everpayment) associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Respectfully submitted, HUNTON & WILLIAMS

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